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Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1984-1988); Member, Judicial Selection Task Force, Special Commission on Administration of Justice, State of Illinois (1991-1993); Member, United States Sentencing Commission (1999-2003)

Judicial: Deputy Clerk, Illinois Circuit Court, Cook County Judicial District (1974-1979)

Legal Practice: Attorney, Jenner & Block LLP (1979-1984); Regional Counsel, Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund (1988-1991); Partner, Kirkland & Ellis LLP (1991-1994)

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Blanche M. Manning

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1934

Education: John Marshall 1967 JD; Roosevelt 1972 MA; Virginia 1992 LLM
Began Service: October 18, 1994

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Adjunct Professor, DePaul University

Government: Member, Board of Education, City of Chicago, Illinois (1961-1967); Assistant State's Attorney, Office of the State's Attorney, County of Cook, Illinois (1968-1973); Supervisory Trial Attorney, United States Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (1973-1977); Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Illinois, United States Department of Justice (1978-1979)

Judicial: Associate Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, Cook County Judicial District (1979-1986); Judge, Illinois Circuit Court, Cook County Judicial District (1986-1988); Judge, Illinois Court of Appeals, Cook County (1987-1994)

Legal Practice: General Attorney, United Airlines (1977-1978)

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David H. Coar

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1943

Education: Syracuse 1964 BA; Loyola (Chicago) 1969 JD; Harvard 1970 LLM
Began Service: November 1, 1994

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Professor, DePaul University (1974-1979); Professor, DePaul University (1982-1986)

Government: United States Trustee, United States Department of Justice (1979-1982)

Judicial: Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1986-1994)

Legal Practice: Attorney, Crawford & Cooper (1971); Attorney, Adams, Baker & Clemon (1972-1974)

Military Service: United States Marine Corps (1965-1971)

Current Memberships: Alabama State Bar Association; American Bar Association; The Chicago American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; The Chicago Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judicial Center; Legal Club of Chicago; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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Robert W. Gettleman

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1943

Education: Boston U 1965 BSBA; Northwestern 1968 JD
Began Service: October 21, 1994

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Political Affiliation: Democrat

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Latham Castle, United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1968-1970)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1970-1994)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The Chicago Bar Association

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Elaine E. Bucklo

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944

Education: Saint Louis U 1966 AB; Northwestern 1972 JD
Began Service: October 1994

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Lecturer, Northwestern University (1973); Visiting Professor, School of Law, University of California, Davis (1978-1980)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Robert A. Sprecher, United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit (1972-1973)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1985-1994)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1973-1985)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Section on Litigation, American Bar Association; Chicago Council of Lawyers; Federal Bar Association

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Joan B. Gottschall

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1947

Education: Smith 1969 BA; Stanford 1973 JD
Began Service: September 3, 1996

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Adjunct Professor, John Marshall Law School (1983-1984)

Government: Staff Attorney, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1976-1978)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1984-1996)

Legal Practice: Associate, Jenner & Block LLP (1973-1976); Associate, Jenner & Block LLP (1978-1981); Partner, Jenner & Block LLP (1981-1982); Staff Attorney, University of Chicago (1983-1984)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The Chicago Bar Association

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**Rebecca R. Pallmeyer**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1954

Education: Valparaiso 1976 BA; Chicago 1979 JD
Began Service: October 21, 1998

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Adjunct Faculty Member, School of Law, Loyola University Chicago

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Rosalie E. Wahl, Minnesota Supreme Court (1979-1980)

Judicial: Administrative Law Judge, Illinois Human Rights Commission (1985-1991); Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1991-1998)

Legal Practice: Associate, Hopkins & Sutter (1980-1985)

Current Memberships: The Chicago Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; National Association of Women Judges; Women's Bar Association of Illinois

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Matthew F. Kennelly

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1956

Education: Notre Dame 1978 BA; Harvard 1981 JD
Began Service: June 22, 1999

Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Prentice H. Marshall, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1982-1984)

Legal Practice: Associate, Hedlund, Hunter & Lynch (1981-1982); Associate, Cotsirilos, Stephenson, Tighe & Streicker, Ltd. (1984-1989); Partner, Cotsirilos, Stephenson, Tighe & Streicker, Ltd. (1989-1999)

Nonprofit: Director, Board of Directors, Lawyers Committee for Better Housing (1984-1999)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; The Chicago American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court

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